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FBI SAN DIEGO

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DIRECTOR, FBI....."U R G E N T"....

TOM DRIBERG, IMPERSONATION. INDIVIDUAL PRESENTING IDENTIFICATION CARD AS TOM DRIBERG, MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT, REYNOLDS, LONDON WC ONE, HOUSE OF COMMONS SW ONE, APPEARED AT PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE, ELEVENTH NAVAL DISTRICT. SAN DIEGO, TODAY STATING HE WANTED TO DO STORY ON AMERICAN NAVY BUT BECAUSE OF HIS UNKEMPT APPEARANCE AND LACK OF FURTHER CREDENTIALS WAS FURNISHED NO INFORMATION. DRIBERG INDICATED HE WAS PROCEEDING TO MEXICO CITY AND WOULD RETURN TO U. S. PRIOR TO HIS DEPARTURE FOR ENGLAND. HE INDICATED HE WAS DOING SERIES OF NEWS STORIES FOR THE BRITISH COMMON. DRIBERG DESCRIBED AS THIRTYEIGHT YEARS OF AGE, SIX FEET, THINNING BROWN HAIR, SLENDER BUILD, VERY UNKEMPT APPEARANCE. BUREAU REQUESTED TO CHECK WITH

SOURCES

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. LADD
FROM : E. G. Fitch

DATE: September 5, 1946

SUBJECT: T. H. B. B. B.
IMPERSONATION

Reference is made to the attached teletype from the San Diego Office requesting that an inquiry be made with [] sources to ascertain the identity of the above mentioned individual.

[] has checked this matter with [] of the [] and has learned that B. B. B. is a member of Parliament in the House of Commons and that he is in the United States representing the Reynolds Newspaper Syndicate. His trip, however, is not sponsored by the British Government or by the British in the United States. [] stated that B. B. B. is a very unscrupulous individual, being generally known as a hawkeye. He has been in constant trouble with the Government and is considered a very irresponsible person. [] stated that the Embassy was cognizant of his presence in the United States but was in no way sanctioning his activities.

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